

1934

Annual Report
of the
TOWN OF BOW



For the Year Ending January 31

1934

Annual Reports

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, AUDITORS, TOWN
CLERK, TRUSTEES, AND OFFICERS
OF THE BAKER LIBRARY

OF THE

TOWN of BOW

NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1934

WITH THE

Report of the School District for the Fiscal Year
Ending June 30, 1933

AND

Vital Statistics for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1933

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator.

CLARENCE J. COLBY

Representative.

FRED J. SHEDD

Selectmen.

FRANK B. WEYANT

BURT BROWN

ASA H. MORGAN

Treasurer.

FLORENCE M. SARGENT

Town Clark.

ANNIE C. FOOTE

Auditors.

WILLIAM A. WHITE

EDWIN A. COLBY

Supervisors.

EDWIN A. COLBY

HARRY D. CLOUGH

ARTHUR C. CHADWICK

Tax Collector.

ANNIE C. FOOTE

Health Officer.

JOHN W. FOOTE

Library Trustees.

WILLOUGHBY A. COLBY, term expires 1934

FRANK E. WOODBURY, term expires 1935

FRANK D. CLOUGH, term expires 1936

RUFUS H. BAKER, term expires 1937

CLARENCE J. COLBY, term expires 1938

Librarian.

ANNIE C. FOOTE

Trustees of Trust Funds.

FRANK E. WOODBURY, term expires 1934

RUFUS H. BAKER, term expires 1935

CLARENCE J. COLBY, term expires 1936

Sexton.

PERLEY A. CLOUGH

Police Officer.

HARRY A. SHREVES

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.

FRANK WOODBURY

CARL OGDEN

PERLEY CLOUGH

Fire Warden.

ERNEST W. MORGAN

Deputies.

FRANK E. WOODBURY

BURT BROWN

HARRY D. CLOUGH

WILLIAM VAUGHN

TOWN WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L. s.]

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bow in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Bow on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what sums of money the town will raise and appropriate for town maintenance of highways and bridges.

4. To see if the town will raise and appropriate for street lights, \$2,000.

5. To see if the town will raise and appropriate for white pine blister rust control, \$200.

6. To see how much money the town will raise and appropriate for Old Home Day.

7. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$569.63 for the maintenance of the Baker Free Library during the year 1934.

8. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$100 for grading the Evans Cemetery.

9. To see if the town will raise for state aid construction the sum of \$2227.50. Location to be continuation of Wood Hill.

10. To see if the town will raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to exchange the town truck.

11. To see if the town will raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to buy one or more snowplows for trucks.

12. To see whether beer or other lawful alcoholic beverages shall be manufactured or sold locally as permitted under the laws of 1933, Chapter 99, Section 22.

13. To see if the town will elect a man to have charge of town truck and tractor.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-four.

FRANK B. WEYANT,
BURT BROWN,
ASA H. MORGAN,
Selectmen of Bow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANK B. WEYANT,
BURT BROWN,
ASA H. MORGAN,
Selectmen of Bow.

TOWN BUDGET

Estimates of revenue and expenditures for the ensuing year, February 1, 1934 to January 31, 1935, compared with actual revenue and expenditures of the previous year, February 1, 1933 to January 31, 1934.

SOURCES OF REVENUE.

	1933	<i>Estimated for 1934</i>
From state:		
Interest and dividends tax,	\$141.37	\$140.00
Insurance tax,	4.65	4.65
Railroad tax,	142.92	140.00
Savings bank tax,	943.91	900.00
For fighting forest fires,	6.58	100.00
From local sources except taxes:		
Interest received on taxes and deposits,	139.24	100.00
Income of departments:		
Highway, including rental of equipment,	83.72	83.72
Motor vehicle permit fees,	682.71	675.00
From local taxes other than property taxes:		
Poll taxes,	768.00	768.00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes,	\$2,923.10	\$2,906.37
Amount to be raised by property taxes,	26,802.31	26,802.31
Total revenues,	\$29,725.41	\$29,708.68

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES.

	1933	<i>Estimated for 1934</i>
General government:		
Town officers' salaries,	\$714.50	\$714.50
Town officers' expenses,	589.09	590.00
Election and registration ex- penses,		150.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	29.75	50.00
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department,	6.00	6.00
Fire department,	224.24	224.24
Health:		
Vital statistics,	12.50	12.50
Highways and bridges:		
Town maintenance,	3,382.46	5,000.00
Street lighting,	1,998.00	2,000.00
General expense of highway de- partment,	2,712.74	
Libraries,	583.23	569.63
Public welfare:		
Town poor,	242.38	300.00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries,	46.77	50.00
Interest:		
On temporary loans,	64.27	64.27
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:		
Highways and bridges:		
State aid construction—town's share,	2,213.28	2,227.50

	<i>1933</i>	<i>Estimated for 1934</i>
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
State taxes,	\$2,951.00	\$2,951.00
County taxes,	2,710.86	2,710.86
Payments to school districts,	8,000.00	12,122.77
Total expenditures,	\$26,481.07	\$29,743.27

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

INVENTORY OF TOWN, APRIL 1, 1933.

Lands and buildings:		
Resident,	\$381,170.00	
Non-resident,	171,721.00	
		\$552,891.00
Electric utilities,		900,418.00
Horses:		
Resident, 92,	\$7,820.00	
Non-resident, 8,	725.00	
		8,545.00
Oxen:		
Resident, 2,	\$150.00	
Non-resident, 2,	250.00	
		400.00
Cows:		
Resident, 239,	\$12,895.00	
Non-resident, 10,	780.00	
		13,675.00
Neat stock:		
Resident, 44,	\$1,255.00	
Non-resident, 3,	125.00	
		1,380.00
Sheep:		
Resident, 32,		160.00
Non-resident, none.		
Hogs:		
Resident, 5,	\$25.00	
Non-resident, 120,	600.00	
		625.00
Fowls:		
Resident, 3,745,		2,644.00
Non-resident, none.		

Fur-bearing animals:		
Resident, 40,		\$960.00
Non-resident, none.		
Portable mills, 4,		800.00
Wood and lumber:		
Resident,	\$1,100.00	
Non-resident,	1,800.00	
		2,900.00
Gas pumps:		
Resident, 1,	\$75.00	
Non-resident, 5,	375.00	
		450.00
Stocks in trade:		
Resident,	\$1,975.00	
Non-resident,	11,784.00	
		13,759.00
Total valuation,		1,499,607.00
Soldiers Exemptions,		9,520.00
		\$1,490,087.00

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Town charges,	\$2,500.00	
Highways and bridges,	5,000.00	
State aid construction,	2,227.50	
Street lights,	2,000.00	
Library repairs,	163.00	
Library maintenance,	374.73	
Cemeteries,	137.60	
State tax,	2,951.00	
County tax,	2,710.86	
School tax,	11,814.00	
		\$29,878.69
Less estimated receipts from state,		2,178.80
		\$27,699.89
Less 451 poll taxes at \$2.00,		902.00

Amount to raise by property tax,		\$26,797.89
Total amount to raise,		\$27,699.89
Tax rate, \$1.80 per \$100 or \$18.60 per \$1,000.		
Property taxes,	\$26,797.89	
Polls, 451, @ \$2.00,	902.00	
Amount committed to collector,		\$27,699.89
Plus addenda of		102.60
Making total on collector's book,		\$27,802.49

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

JANUARY 31, 1934.

Received for auto tax,	\$670.88	
Received for dog licenses,	225.30	
		\$896.18
Less license fees,		17.20
Paid to treasurer,		\$878.98

ANNIE C. FOOTE,
Clerk.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

JANUARY 31, 1934.

1931:

Balance due January 31, 1933,		
on 1931 taxes,		\$55.75
Paid to treasurer,	\$9.49	
Paid by abatement,	46.26	
		55.75
Interest paid,		\$47.43

Balance due on 1931 taxes, unredeemed tax sales,	\$238.02	
Uncollected taxes for 1931, abated		\$238.02
1932:		
Balance due January 31, 1933, on 1932 taxes,		\$2,076.64
Paid to treasurer:		
Property taxes,	\$1,579.77	
Polls (38),	76.00	
		\$1,655.77
Uncollected taxes for 1932,		\$420.87
Interest paid on taxes,		58.18
1933:		
Taxes levied on 1933 levy book,		\$27,699.89
Addenda,		102.60
Total to collect,		\$27,802.49
Paid to treasurer:		
Property taxes,	\$25,027.65	
Polls, 329,	658.00	
Total,		\$25,685.65
Paid by abatement (over taxed property),		240.34
Total collected,		\$25,925.99
Interest on 1933 taxes,	\$12.92	
Balance due on 1933 taxes,		\$1,876.50
ANNIE C. FOOTE,		
Collector.		

ABATEMENT.

William Abbott,	\$2.00	
Louise Corney,	2.00	
Ella Hemphill,	2.00	
George Hodgman,	3.06	
Evelyn Hodgman,	2.00	
Mary J. Houle,	2.00	
Phillip Houle,	2.00	
Addie Ordway,	2.00	
Leon Pingree,	23.20	
Harold F. Simons,	2.00	
Anna Wheeler,	2.00	
Enna Dennerly,	2.00	
		\$46.26

I, the undersigned auditor of the selectmen's, treasurer's, tax collector's, and town clerk's accounts for the year ending January 31, 1934, certify that I have examined said accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLIAM A. WHITE,
Auditor.

February 14, 1934.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Cash:		Accounts owed by the town:	
In hands of treasurer (do not include sinking funds),		Due to state,	\$61. 79
Accounts due to the town:		Due to school districts:	
Due from state:		Dog licenses,	\$218. 10
Bounties,	\$18. 60	Balance of appropriation,	3,814. 00
Joint highway construction accounts, unexpended balances in state treasury,	28. 96		4,032. 10
Taxes bought by town (do not include property actually deeded to town),		State and town joint highway construction accounts:	
Uncollected taxes:		Unexpended balance in state treasury,	28. 96
Levy of 1933,	\$1,877. 50		
Levy of 1932,	420. 87	Total liabilities,	\$4,122. 85
Previous years,	34. 85	Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus),	5,434. 28
	2,333. 22		
Total assets,	\$9,557. 13		
Grand total,	\$9,557. 13	Grand total,	\$9,557. 13

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

Total receipts during year,	\$38,966.19	
Cash on hand February 1, 1933,	3,545.11	
Total payments for all purposes,		\$42,512.30
Cash on hand January 31, 1934,		\$6,724.41
FLORENCE M. SARGENT,		
<i>Treasurer.</i>		

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1934.

CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.
February 15, 1934.

FRANK B. WEYANT,
BURT BROWN,
ASA H. MORGAN,
Selectmen.
FLORENCE M. SARGENT,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS.

RECEIPTS.

From local taxes:

Property taxes com-	
mitted to collector,	
1933,	\$27,802.49
Less discount and	
abatement, 1933,	
overtax,	240.34
Less uncollected, 1933,	1,877.50

Property taxes current year, actually collected,	\$25,026.65	
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 329 at \$2.00,	658.00	
Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected,	1,665.26	
Total of above collections,		\$27,349.91
Tax sales redeemed,		220.40
From state:		
For highways and bridges:		
Emergency relief unemployed—		
highway maintenance,	\$3,837.15	
For state aid construction,	1,327.72	
		5,164.87
Interest and dividend tax,	\$141.37	
Insurance tax,	4.65	
Railroad tax,	142.92	
Savings bank tax,	943.91	
Balance on 1932 blister rust control,	3.98	
Fighting forest fires,	6.58	
Bounties,	13.60	
Reimbursement relief administration,	136.67	
		1,393.68
From county:		
For support of poor,	\$399.63	
For aid furnished soldiers,	270.10	
		669.73
From local sources, except taxes:		
Dog licenses,		208.73
Interest received on taxes,		118.53
Registration of motor vehicles, 1933 permits,	\$257.94	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1934 permits,	434.77	
		682.71
Total current revenue receipts,		\$35,818.56

Receipts other than current revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year,	\$3,000.00	
Refunds,	63.91	
Taxes bought by town,	551.94	
Abatements,	46.26	
Town truck,	83.72	
Total receipts other than current revenue,		\$3,645.83
Total receipts from all sources,		\$39,464.39
Cash on hand, Feb. 1933		3,545.11
Grand total,		\$43,009.50

PAYMENTS.

General government:

Town officers' salaries,	\$714.50	
Town officers' expenses,	589.09	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	29.75	
		\$1,333.34

Protection of persons and property:

Police department, including care of tramps,	\$6.00	
Fire department, including forest fires,	224.24	
Bounties,	18.60	
		248.84

Health:

Vital statistics,		12.50
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Highways and bridges:

Emergency relief unemployed— highway maintenance,	\$3,838.15	
Town truck,	375.74	
Town maintenance,	3,382.46	
Street lighting and sprinkling,	1,998.00	

General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs,	\$2,712.74	
		\$12,307.09
Libraries:		
Libraries,		583.23
Charities:		
Town poor,	\$242.38	
County poor,	367.14	
		609.52
Patriotic purposes:		
Aid to soldiers and their families,		339.38
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries, including hearse hire,		46.77
Unclassified:		
Damages and legal expenses,	\$39.08	
Taxes bought by town,	451.94	
Discounts and abatements,	46.26	
		537.28
Total current maintenance expenses,		
		\$16,017.95
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$64.27	
Total interest payments,		64.27
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:		
Highways and bridges—state aid construction,		3,541.01
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,		3,000.00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
Taxes paid to state,	\$2,951.00	

Taxes paid to county,	\$2,710.86
Payments to school districts,	8,000.00
Total payments to other gov- ernmental divisions	<u>\$13,661.86</u>
Total payments for all purposes,	\$36,285.09
Cash on hand January 31, 1934	<u>6,724.41</u>
Grand total,	\$43,009.50

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town hall, lands and buildings,	\$2,700.00
Furniture and equipment,	300.00
Libraries, lands and buildings,	10,000.00
Furniture and equipment,	7,000.00
Highway department, lands and buildings,	500.00
Equipment,	5,000.00
Schools, lands and buildings,	17,000.00
Equipment,	1,200.00
All land and buildings acquired through tax collectors' deeds:	
Town wood lot,	500.00
One half acre on River Road,	<u>10.00</u>
Total,	\$44,210.00

DETAIL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

CURRENT REVENUE—RECEIPTS.

From local taxes (Annie C. Foote, collector):	
1933 property taxes,	\$25,026.65
1933 poll taxes,	658.00
1932 property and poll taxes,	1,655.77
1931 property and poll taxes,	<u>9.49</u>
Total of above collections,	\$27,349.91
Tax sales redeemed,	220.40

From state:

Emergency relief unemployed,	\$3,837.15	
State aid construction,	1,327.72	
Relief administration,	136.67	
Interest and dividend tax,	141.37	
Insurance tax,	4.65	
Railroad tax,	142.92	
Savings bank tax,	943.91	
Balance on 1932 blister rust control,	3.98	
Fighting forest fires,	6.58	
Bounties,	13.60	
		\$6,558.55

From county:

For support of poor,	\$399.63	
For aid furnished soldiers,	270.10	
		669.73

From local sources except taxes:

Dog licences,	\$168.33	
Interest received on taxes,	118.53	
Registration of motor vehicles,	733.11	
		1,019.97

Receipts other than current revenues:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes (National State Capital Bank),	\$3,000.00	
Tax sale expenses,	20.71	
Refunds:		
Watch sold,	4.00	
Aid furnished,	39.20	
Town truck for work on S. A. C.,	83.72	
Taxes bought by town,	451.94	
Abatements,	42.26	
		3,645.83
Total receipts from all sources,		
		\$39,464.39
Cash on hand February 1, 1933,		
		3,545.11
		\$43,009.50

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

John P. Elliott, health officer,	\$20.00	
Frank E. Colby, selectman,	49.50	
Annie C. Foote, collector, 1931,	10.00	
Annie C. Foote, collector, 1932,	25.00	
Annie C. Foote, collector, 1933,	100.00	50-25-25
Frank B. Weyant, selectman,	135.00	
Burt Brown, selectman,	125.00	
Asa H. Morgan, selectman,	125.00	60-65
John W. Foote, health officer,	25.00	
Annie C. Foote, clerk,	50.00	
Florence Sargent, treasurer,	50.00	
		\$714.50

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

E. C. Eastman Co., supplies,	\$59.96
Automotive Service Bureau. re- prints,	1.14
F. E. Colby, stamps for reports,	8.00
Annie C. Foote, auto manual,	2.00
Annie C. Foote, fees and expenses tax sale,	35.52
Annie C. Foote, stamps and sta- tionery,	31.08
Annie C. Foote, attending clerks' meeting, and expenses,	5.10
Annie C. Foote, attending collec- tors' meeting, and expenses,	4.60
Annie C. Foote, auto permit fees,	72.25
Edmund H. Brown, registering deeds,	2.46
Burt Brown, telephones and stamps,	4.70
National State Capital Bank, de- posit box,	2.20
Rumford Press, town reports,	124.20

Jackman & Lang, bonds on town officers,	\$130.00	
Burt Brown, delivering cans and plants,	8.35	
Virginia Foote, addressing reports,	3.00	
F. E. Colby, attending assessors' meetings,	4.00	
F. B. Weyant, attending assessors' meetings,	4.00	
Burt Brown, attending assessors' meetings,	12.35	
Asa Morgan, attending assessors' meetings,	11.35	
Tribune Pub. Co., tax bills,	5.50	
Fred S. Hagen, auditing books,	4.00	
William A. White, auditing books,	4.50	
Frank B. Weyant, copying inventory,	10.00	
Asa Morgan, telephones,	.55	
N. H. Supply Co., dog tags,	5.35	
George Foote, delivering seeds,	1.68	
N. H. Assessors' Association, dues,	2.00	
A. S. Colby, wood for selectmen's office,	15.00	
Roy Cilly, coal for selectmen's office,	8.00	
Florence Sargent, stamps and expenses,	6.25	
		\$589.09

TOWN HALL.

Bow Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,	\$2.75	
Jackman & Lang, insurance,	15.00	
Concord Electric Co.,	12.00	
		\$29.75

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

POLICE.

Arthur Sargent, investigating,	\$6.00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ernest Morgan, fire warden,	\$107.10	
Concord Fire Department:		
Richard Vandermark, chimney fire,	6.50	
Frank Greenman, chimney fire,	12.00	
Leland Dunn, brush fire,	15.50	
Edward Dushu, chimney fire,	7.00	
George Dinsmore, chimney fire,	12.00	
Hooksett Fire Department:		
Wallace Morgan, chimney fire,	11.00	
Earl Johnson, chimney fire,	20.00	
Hopkinton Fire Department:		
Brush fire at North Bow, 1932,	20.00	
William Vaughn, attending wardens' conference,	4.46	
Burt Brown, attending wardens' conference,	4.15	
Frank Woodbury, attending wardens' conference,	4.53	
		\$224.24
Bounties on hedgehogs:		
Burt Brown, 12,	\$2.40	
Ernest Morgan, 22,	4.40	
Ruben Colby, 49,	9.80	
Frank Weyant, 1,	.20	
Asa Morgan, 10,	2.00	
		\$18.60

VITAL STATISTICS.

Annie C. Foote, clerk,	\$7.25
Rev. L. R. Drapeau,	.25

W. D. Armitage,	\$.25	
J. C. Hawkins, D.D.,	.25	
Rev. E. S. Tasker,	.25	
Andrew MacCracken,	.25	
Rev. D. S. Jenks,	.25	
Edwin T. Cooke, D.D.,	.25	
Rev. Bernard Lovgren,	.25	
Loren A. Sanders, M.D.,	.50	
Walter C. Rowe, M.D.,	1.25	
Louis O. S. Wallace, M.D.,	.25	
Robert O. Blood, M.D.,	.25	
Marion L. Bugbee, M.D.,	.25	
George E. Leete, M.D.,	.25	
C. E. Butterfield, M.D.,	.25	
Gerard Gaudrault, M.D.,	.25	
		\$12.50

TOWN MAINTENANCE OF HIGHWAYS.

BURT BROWN, *Surveyor*.

Burt Brown, labor,	\$2.50
D. Foote, tractor and labor,	55.50
F. Wilson, labor,	38.08
G. Foote, labor and tractor,	56.06
J. Bresau, labor,	15.00
R. Bresau, labor,	3.75
H. Jameson, labor,	6.25
C. J. Colby, truck,	53.78
E. Brown, labor	5.00
L. Newall, labor,	10.56
F. Goodwin, labor,	9.00
F. Shelley, labor,	20.00
C. E. Shelley, labor,	18.50
W. Howard, labor,	8.06
W. Leete, labor,	5.56
F. E. Colby, labor,	8.06
V. N. Colby, labor,	10.56
H. Drew, labor,	10.56

F. Drew, labor,	\$ 8.06	
R. Houghton, truck,	29.34	
C. Nottage, labor,	32.00	
John Jordan, gravel,	13.00	
W. Foss, gravel,	7.95	
W. Fauier, gravel,	1.80	
		\$428.93

A. S. COLBY, *Surveyor.*

A. S. Colby, team and labor,	\$56.00	
W. W. Colby, truck and labor,	110.50	
John Giddings, labor,	4.25	
H. Ordway, labor,	10.00	
E. D. Brown, labor,	30.00	
J. O. Ordway, labor,	20.00	
E. R. Ordway, labor,	17.50	
J. Downing, labor,	17.50	
W. Elliott, labor,	25.00	
G. A. Drew, labor,	2.50	
F. B. Weyant, labor,	13.75	
O. Welch, labor,	27.50	
H. Drew, labor,	5.00	
C. O. Drew, labor,	7.50	
F. D. Clough, gravel,	18.80	
F. Duford, gravel,	8.10	
		\$373.90

PERLEY CLOUGH, *Surveyor.*

Perley Clough, team and labor,	\$90.75	
Fred Clough, labor,	18.12	
Flecher Clough, labor,	30.37	
W. C. Hoyt, labor,	24.37	
A. J. Foote, labor,	21.25	
C. Marshall, labor,	16.87	
E. Saltmarsh, labor,	5.00	
G. A. Foote, labor,	2.50	
T. Young, labor,	3.75	
E. L. Cadarette, labor,	6.25	

E. Ploude, labor,	\$ 8.75
R. Wescome, labor,	7.50
Henry Drew, labor,	2.50
A. White, labor,	10.00
Harry Drew, labor,	2.50
O. Welch, labor,	12.50
E. Hemphill, truck,	14.00
W. W. Colby, truck,	12.00
C. Hemphill, labor,	1.25
G. A. Drew, labor,	12.50
F. Morgan, labor,	12.50
Herman Drew, labor,	5.00
R. Houghton, truck,	16.00
Frank Clough, gravel,	16.00
P. A. Clough, dynamite,	2.30

\$354.53

FRANK GOODWIN, *Surveyor*.

Frank Goodwin, team and labor,	\$74.19
W. Burbank, labor,	41.12
B. Alexander, truck,	75.56
B. Copeland, labor,	27.37
J. Cole, labor,	21.12
A. Barber, labor,	1.96
V. Heath, labor,	16.25
A. Tripp, labor,	35.56
W. Alexander, labor,	3.62
O. Welch, labor,	9.87
E. Vaughn, labor,	2.50
E. W. Goodwin, labor,	2.50
A. Curtis, labor,	5.00
A. Foote, labor,	4.18
L. Parker, tractor,	27.00
G. Foote, labor,	10.00
J. Bradeau, labor,	17.50
W. Weatherbee, gravel,	14.20
F. Duford, gravel,	2.70

F. H. Goodwin, sharpening drills,	\$1.00
F. H. Goodwin, dynamite cap and fuse,	2.85

\$396.05

BURT ALEXANDER, *Surveyor*.

Burt Alexander, truck and labor, ~~1111~~	\$160.07
W. Alexander, labor,	17.88
J. Bradeau, labor,	24.31
Guy Luce, labor,	29.59
F. French, labor,	24.31
A. Davidson, labor,	21.81
V. Heath, labor,	21.81
J. Cole, labor,	21.81
O. Welch, labor,	20.00
B. Copeland, labor,	14.31
C. W. Heath, labor,	2.50
F. Goodwin, labor,	2.22
W. Burbank, labor,	2.22
W. Weatherbee, labor,	.66
W. Weatherbee, gravel,	1.10
John Doe, gravel,	33.00
F. W. Noyes, gravel,	1.20
B. Alexander, post railings, spikes,	10.30

\$409.10

RICHARD PUTNEY, *Surveyor*.

Richard Putney, team and labor,	\$76.11
W. W. Colby, truck,	58.00
Otis Welch, labor,	27.14
Harry Flanders, labor,	18.12
H. Goodrich, labor,	40.06
H. Saltmarsh, labor,	18.12
F. Clough, labor,	17.50
W. Elliott, labor,	18.12
J. Giddings, labor,	7.50
H. Moncrieff, labor,	.55
J. Moncrieff, labor,	3.75

Geo. Welch, labor,	\$13.66	
Frank Clough, gravel,	8.60	
Richard Putney, gravel,	11.90	
		\$319.13

CLARENCE J. COLBY, *Surveyor*.

C. J. Colby, truck and labor,	\$208.06	
E. Johnson, labor,	39.45	
A. Jameson, labor,	.70	
H. Jameson, labor,	40.70	
F. Duford, labor,	13.20	
O. Duford, labor,	10.70	
M. E. Warriner, team and labor,	4.10	
D. Jameson, labor,	23.20	
H. Duford, labor,	8.75	
Geo. Foote, labor,	8.20	
A. H. Morgan, team and labor,	26.75	
E. D. Brown, labor,	7.50	
E. T. Smith, labor,	12.50	
C. B. French, labor,	5.00	
C. J. Colby, gravel,	2.90	
F. Duford, gravel,	28.30	
C. D. Ogden, gravel,	.40	
		\$440.41

FRANK WOODBURY, *Surveyor*.

F. E. Woodbury, team and labor,	\$66.93	
W. F. Woodbury, labor,	7.24	
W. Merrill, labor,	16.95	
A. Rockford, labor,	20.75	
J. O. Ordway, labor,	8.65	
H. M. Ordway, labor,	19.34	
H. S. Ordway, labor,	12.53	
E. R. Ordway, labor,	12.12	
O. P. Merrill, labor,	15.00	
O. Welch, labor,	15.00	
W. Elliott, labor,	15.00	
John Giddings, labor,	15.00	

J. Giddings, labor,	\$31.94	
W. W. Colby, truck,	48.00	
R. Houghton, labor,	48.00	
B. P. M. Tebo, gravel,	26.00	
		\$378.45

GENERAL EXPENSE, HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

TOWN TRACTOR ACCOUNT.

P. I. Perkins, tractor repairs,	\$1,236.26	
F. B. Weyant, pay roll,	277.66	
E. Morgan, gas,	228.66	
Frank Colby, Jr., pay roll,	313.01	
Concord Foundry Co.,	15.00	
C. Nottage, gas,	15.22	
H. Albee, gas,	16.69	
Ordway's Filling Station,	21.04	
Gulf Refining Co., gas,	14.40	
W. S. Dunn, tractor parts,	57.00	
A. H. Britton & Co.,	2.95	
R. Houghton, gas,	22.33	
Concord Welding Co.,	69.10	
R. A. Senimer, repairs of tractor,	22.92	
Jackman & Lang, insurance,	53.25	
W. L. Woodbury, oil,	2.70	
		\$2,368.19

TOWN MAINTENANCE BY OTHERS.

Howard Burbank, snow removal,	\$18.00
Henry Crowley, snow removal,	19.50
C. W. Heath, snow removal,	2.00
Frank Goodwin, snow removal,	56.18
Burt Alexander, snow removal,	1.65
Frank Woodbury, snow removal,	95.64
Burt Brown, snow removal,	3.66
Donald Carleton, snow removal,	1.58

Richard Putney, snow removal,	\$14.90	
Frank Weyant, putting up and removing snow fence,	64.50	
Thompson & Hoague, lamp for shed,	\$1.35	
John Foote, removing tree from road,	1.00	
Edgar Brown, labor on highway,	5.56	
Frank Weyant, putting out sand for tar,	13.92	
Frank Weyant, highway, general,	17.93	
Jackman & Lang, workmen's com- pensation,	127.50	
State treasurer, tar for town road,	90.04	
W. Jenkinson, lumber for tool box,	2.52	
E. J. Brown, sharpening picks,	.50	
Frank E. Colby, Jr., sanding roads,	15.52	
Frank B. Weyant, sanding roads,	6.00	
Ai Hammond, sanding roads,	64.88	
A. H. Britton & Co., hardware,	2.18	
		\$626.51

TOWN TRUCK ACCOUNT.

Jackman & Lang, insurance,	\$67.20	
Keaton & Banfil, tires,	46.34	
Saltmarsh Garage, repairs,	129.77	
W. J. McMullen, repairs,	3.25	
Crosby Co., repairs,	6.45	
Concord Battery Station,	1.25	
Ernest Morgan, gas,	89.45	
R. Houghton, gas,	29.63	
		\$373.34

STREET LIGHTING.

Concord Electric Co., street lights,	\$1,998.00
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EDUCATION.

LIBRARIES.

Rufus H. Baker, treasurer, check,	\$537.73	
Concord Lumber Co., kindlings,	3.50	
A. S. Colby, wood,	15.00	
Annie C. Foote, proprietors' records,	27.00	
		\$583.23

CHARITIES.

Aid to town poor,	\$242.38	
Aid to county poor,	367.14	
Aid to soldiers' families,	339.38	
		\$948.90

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.

CEMETERIES.

John S. Bickford, flags for Alexander Cemetery	\$4.00	
Edward Tufts, post for Evans Cemetery,	9.19	
A. H. Britton, seed for Evans Cemetery,	2.12	
W. B. Jenkerson, lumber for Evans Cemetery,	6.46	
W. B. Jenkerson, lumber for Green Cemetery,	25.00	
		\$46.77

UNCLASSIFIED.

Damages and legal expenses:		
Willoughby A. Colby, legal services and collections,		\$39.08
Taxes bought by town,		451.94
Interest:		
National State Capital Bank, interest on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,		64.27

EXPENSE OF ROAD UPKEEP.

F. A. Goodwin, foreman,	\$250.00
B. Alexander, truck,	278.22
R. Houghton, truck,	126.22
J. L. Parker, truck,	16.00
E. Hemphill, truck,	112.89
E. P. Tufts, truck,	262.22
Clyde Nottage, truck,	105.78
W. W. Colby, truck,	232.89
C. J. Colby, truck,	112.00
H. L. Jenkerson, truck,	172.44
Ai Hammond, truck,	118.22
H. J. Duford, labor,	12.50
O. P. Merrill, labor,	19.44
Earl Johnson, labor,	39.44
F. C. Wilson, labor,	31.39
E. D. Brown, labor,	29.44
A. S. Colby, team,	6.00
C. S. Marshall, labor,	12.50
G. M. Mills, labor,	19.44
J. O. Ordway, labor,	26.94
E. R. Ordway, labor,	25.00
E. L. Cadrette, labor,	20.00
C. O. Drew, labor,	5.00
C. E. Shelley, labor,	57.50
A. L. Tripp, labor,	61.94
John Bresau, labor,	73.33
A. E. Willard, labor,	44.17
J. Rouleau, labor,	12.50
R. L. Colby, labor,	7.50
W. H. Burbank, labor,	36.94
H. W. Drew, labor,	5.00
H. C. Drew, labor,	5.00
Burt Powers, labor,	22.22
Robert Goss, graderman,	3.50
T. M. Jenneseve, labor,	25.56
D. Jameson, labor,	25.00
W. W. Colby, labor,	1.67

W. H. Heath, labor,	\$20.00
E. Wheeler, labor,	9.58
R. C. Clark, labor,	10.00
A. J. Drew, labor,	39.44
G. A. Drew, labor,	56.94
E. Ploude, labor,	58.62
F. H. Clough, labor,	36.94
W. P. Alexander, labor,	4.17
E. W. Goodwin, labor,	20.00
R. N. Hall, labor,	2.50
O. D. Duford, labor,	2.50
R. H. Wescom, labor,	39.44
R. C. Putney, labor,	22.77
A. W. Davieson, labor,	15.00
G. M. Luce, labor,	15.00
C. B. French, labor,	7.50
F. W. Morgan, labor,	33.06
C. N. Clark, labor,	20.56
H. B. Flanders, labor,	42.50
Burt Brown, tractor,	3.00
Donald Foote, labor,	15.00
F. A. Woodward, labor,	12.50
W. B. Elliott, labor,	63.06
L. E. Shelley, labor,	62.50
C. J. Bourbeau, labor,	37.50
E. A. Tracy, labor,	14.44
H. E. Drew, labor,	42.50
H. J. Perry, labor,	7.50
W. C. Hoyt, labor,	62.50
W. F. Clark, labor,	35.00
J. S. Bradeau, labor,	15.00
B. Copeland, labor,	1.11
J. Cole, labor,	1.11
L. F. Newall, labor,	30.56
A. C. Hanson, labor,	35.56
V. N. Colby, labor,	33.61
O. Welch, labor,	11.67
F. B. Weyant, mileage,	10.40

F. D. Clough, gravel,	\$22.90
R. C. Putney, gravel,	1.10
G. Dudley, gravel,	74.25
C. Odgen, gravel,	43.70
W. Weatherbee, gravel,	69.90
J. S. Jordan, gravel,	70.80
Emma Hall, gravel,	5.90
Grank Goodwin, axe,	1.50
Frank Noyes, sharpening picks,	1.50
A. H. Britton Co., tools,	35.32
	\$3,838.15

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION.

F. A. Goodwin, foreman,	\$71.67
H. S. Clement, foreman,	56.64
M. J. Hazen, foreman,	217.78
E. P. Tufts, truck,	50.67
Ai Hammond, truck,	184.89
C. Nottage, truck,	212.44
W. W. Colby, truck,	98.67
B. F. Alexander, truck,	59.56
R. Houghton, truck,	200.00
E. Hemphill, truck,	95.11
C. J. Colby, truck,	112.00
Town of Bow, truck,	83.72
E. D. Brown, labor,	55.00
G. Gould, labor,	2.50
G. A. Drew, labor,	27.50
J. O. Ordway, labor,	60.00
J. Bradeau, labor,	47.50
D. Jameson, labor,	52.50
E. R. Ordway, labor,	60.00
O. Merrill, labor,	60.00
H. Jameson, labor,	47.50
A. Curtis, labor,	42.50
W. A. Grace, labor,	27.50
W. Heath, labor,	12.50
R. Colby, labor,	22.50

J. Rouleau, labor,	\$40.00
A. J. Drew, labor,	30.00
O. Welch, labor,	38.06
C. Marshall, labor,	20.00
Arthur LeFebre, labor,	45.27
R. Goss, graderman,	24.50
P. Mack, compressor man,	7.00
C. Clark, labor,	15.00
G. Mills, labor,	22.50
C. B. French, labor,	15.00
R. N. Hall, labor,	7.50
F. B. Weyant, mileage,	6.40
W. Godbout, labor,	10.00
H. B. Cilley, truck driver,	14.80
A. W. Clement, truck driver,	7.11
F. H. Clough, labor,	5.00
R. Peaslee, labor,	3.60
O. D. Duford, labor,	2.50
Fred Shedd, truck,	21.00
W. Gould, helper,	8.40
F. E. Shelley, labor,	10.83
B. Powers, labor,	30.83
C. E. Shelley, labor,	10.83
J. Bresau, labor,	10.83
J. LeFebre, labor,	54.72
A. C. Hanson, labor,	25.83
C. W. Heath, labor,	43.33
G. D. Prindle, labor,	35.83
W. F. Clark, labor,	28.33
A. W. Davieson, labor,	51.66
M. Coulter, labor,	30.83
W. H. Burbank, labor,	43.33
E. L. Cadrette, labor,	25.83
E. Johnson, labor,	30.83
Guy Luce, labor,	56.94
A. J. Foote, labor,	52.50
W. Vaughn, labor,	2.50
Wesley Howard, labor,	12.50

J. O. Ordway, water boy,	\$4.80	
F. Baker, water boy,	7.20	
E. Vaughn, water boy,	3.25	
W. Elliott, labor,	23.33	
Armand LeFebre, labor,	10.00	
William Howard, labor,	32.50	
H. Drew, labor,	10.00	
E. Tracy, labor,	38.33	
E. Sanborn, labor,	27.22	
A. Tripp, labor,	21.94	
E. Ploude, labor,	20.83	
B. Copeland, labor,	112.77	
V. Health, labor,	10.00	
H. D. Drew, labor,	13.33	
E. Goodwin, labor,	23.33	
E. A. Willard, labor,	20.83	
J. Cole, labor,	61.66	
S. Sidelinger, labor,	30.00	
C. Nottage, sand,	4.90	
C. J. Colby, gravel,	111.00	
A. H. Britton, hardware,	15.84	
W. Merrill, repairing chain,	1.00	
F. W. Noyes, sharpening picks,	6.50	
W. Jenkerson, lumber,	18.88	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange,		
cement,	38.50	
J. Swenson, dynamite,	10.50	
		\$3,541.01

Indebtedness payments:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes, National State Capital Bank,		\$3,000.00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
Taxes paid to state,	\$2,951.00	
Taxes paid to county,	2,710.86	
		\$5,661.86

Payments to school district:		
Balance 1932-33 appropriation,	\$611.00	
On 1933-34 appropriation,	7,589.00	
		\$8,000.00
Total payments, all purposes,		\$36,285.09
Cash on hand January 31,		
1934,		6,724.41
		\$43,009.50

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER.

One case of scarlet fever was reported by Miss Douillette, and the house was quarantined for the required time by the health officer. No other member of the family had it.

The State Board of Health, Division of Maternity and Child Hygiene, in coöperation with a Community Committee, held the first Diphtheria Immunization Clinic at the various schools in Bow on November 12 and December 5, 1933. One hundred and thirty-eight children were given this treatment. Of this number 43 were babies and pre-school children and 95 were school children. The clinic was in charge of Carrie C. Price, R.N., State Nurse.

JOHN W. FOOTE,
Health Officer for Bow.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BOW. FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1934.

<i>Date of creation.</i>	<i>Trust funds—purpose of creation.</i>	<i>How invested.</i>	<i>Amount of principal.</i>	<i>Rate of interest.</i>	<i>Balance of income on hand at beginning of year.</i>	<i>Income during year.</i>	<i>Expended during year.</i>	<i>Balance of income on hand at end of year.</i>
Apr. 1912	Baker Free Library Fund—\$10,000. Raised and appropriated by town. Paid trustees January 13, 1915.	Carl Jones and wife, mortgage, J. Oseindorp and wife, mortgage, 4th Liberty Loan Bond, Merrimack County Savings Bank,	\$5,000.00 5,000.00 50.00 77.40	5½% 5½% 4½% 3½%	\$3.51	Defaulted \$2.12 1.45	\$2.12 75.00	
Oct. 1908	Cemetery Trust Funds:	Deposit, Loan and Trust Savings Bank,	100.00	3½%	73.11	6.12	3.02	\$76.21
Apr. 1, 1910	Andrew Gault Fund,	" " " "	200.00		287.30	16.37	.77	282.90
Feb. 21, 1913	Elmira Or-dway Fund,	" " " "	100.00		84.25	8.44		90.69
Apr. 3, 1914	Charles F. Hammond Fund,	" " " "	100.00		84.95	8.06		90.04
Mar. 6, 1916	Addie I. Johnson Fund,	" " " "	200.00		27.93	8.05	77	60.83
Apr. 4, 1916	Sarah Upton Fund,	" " " "	100.00		57.40	5.55	3.02	59.94
May 29, 1919	Mary E. Childs Fund,	" " " "	100.00		54.46	5.45	3.02	56.89
May 26, 1924	Mary E. Symonds Fund,	" " " "	500.00		132.76	22.18	3.02	151.92
Apr. 3, 1929	Wesley L. Wheeler Fund,	" " " "	100.00		3.49	3.67	3.02	29.14
Nov. 4, 1929	Wm. E. Nesmith Fund,	" " " "	200.00		17.80	7.66	3.02	29.14
" 4, 1929	Willie F. Page Fund,	" " " "	100.00		11.91	3.89		15.80
May 29, 1931	Joseph Clough Fund,	" " " "	100.00		4.37	3.64	.77	7.24
" 29, 1931	Hadley Cemetery Fund,	" " " "	100.00		4.37	3.64		8.01
July 28, 1932	Nellie M. Blonquist Fund,	" " " "	100.00		4.37	3.21		3.21

CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 8, 1934.

FRANK E. WOODBURY,
RUFUS H. BAKER,
CLARENCE J. COLBY,
Trustees.

BAKER FREE LIBRARY.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

FROM

JANUARY 1, 1933, TO JANUARY 1, 1934.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1933,		\$203.51
Town of Bow, 1932 appropriation,	\$ 25.00	
Town of Bow, appropriation for repairs made in 1932,	163.00	
Town of Bow, appropriation for maintenance in 1933,	374.73	
Interest on 4th Liberty Loan Bond,	2.12	
Withdrawn from Savings Bank account,	50.00	
Total,		<u>614.85</u>
		\$818.36

DISBURSEMENTS.

Repairs to roof,	\$363.00	
Insurance,	108.13	
Books and magazines,	73.32	
Book repairing,	11.25	
Transportation of books,	5.00	
Cleaning, etc.,	10.00	
Salary, librarian,	104.00	
Lighting,	9.84	
Federal check tax,	.46	
H. J. Putnam—to redeem back taxes on the Kansas properties,	75.00	
Total,		<u>760.00</u>
Balance on hand January 1, 1934,		\$ 58.36

INVESTMENTS.

As returned in Report of Trustees of Trust Funds.

Respectfully submitted,

RUFUS H. BAKER,

Treasurer of Library Trustees.

SCHOOL WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Bow
qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the 13th day of March, 1934, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To see whether or no the district will pay the whole of the high school tuition.
10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Bow this 27th day of January, 1934.

EMMA P. CLOUGH,
SUSAN A. COLBY,
EDWIN A. COLBY,
School Board of Bow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EMMA P. CLOUGH,
SUSAN A. COLBY,
EDWIN A. COLBY,
School Board of Bow.

SCHOOL REPORT, TOWN OF BOW.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Moderator.

OSCAR HANSON

Clerk.

WILLIAM A. WHITE

School Board.

EDWIN A. COLBY

EMMA P. CLOUGH

SUSAN A. COLBY

Treasurer.

ANNIE C. FOOTE

Auditor.

FRANK E. COLBY

Truant Officer.

HARRY SHREVE

CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

HENRY S. ROBERTS,
Superintendent.

EDWIN A. COLBY,
EMMA P. CLOUGH,
SUSAN A. COLBY,
School Board.

July 1, 1933.

RECEIPTS.

Income from local taxation (raised by selectmen):		
For the payment of per capita tax	\$13,131.00	
From sources other than taxation:		
Dog licenses (from selectmen) (Estimated),	220.00	
High school tuitions (refunded),	35.81	
Total,		\$13,386.91
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1932,		91.84
Grand total,		\$13,478.75

PAYMENTS.

Administration:	
Salaries of district officers,	\$205.00
Superintendent's excess salary,	253.00
Truant officers and school cen- sus,	54.00
Expenses of administration,	41.09
Instruction:	
Principal's and teachers' salaries,	5,940.00
Text books,	114.00
Scholars' supplies,	82.69
Flags and appurtenances,	2.50
Operation and maintenance of school plant:	
Janitor service,	536.25
Fuel,	472.75
Water, light, janitor's supplies,	26.44
Minor repairs and expenses,	109.42
Auxiliary agencies and special ac- tivities:	
Medical inspection, health su- pervision,	150.00

Transportation of pupils,	\$592.00
High school and academy tuition,	3,024.95
Fixed charges:	
Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita),	344.00
Grand total,	<u>\$11,948.09</u>

BALANCE SHEET.

ASSETS, JUNE 30, 1933.

Cash on hand:	
Balance June 30, 1933,	\$883.75
Accounts due to district:	
From town or city,	391.00
Total assets,	<u>\$1,274.75</u>

LIABILITIES, JUNE 30, 1933.

Excess of assets over liabilities,	\$1,274.75
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Bow, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK E. COLBY,

July 10, 1933.

Auditor.

REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER.

SUMMARY.

Cash on hand June 30, 1932 (treasurer's bank balance),	\$91.84
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year,	\$127.40
Received from all other sources,	35.91
	<u>12,775.91</u>

Total amount available for fiscal year (balance and receipts),	\$12,867.75
Less School Board orders paid,	11,984.00

Balance on hand as of June 30, 1933 (treasurer's bank balance),	\$883.75
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ANNIE C. FOOTE,
District Treasurer.

July 10, 1933.

RECEIPTS.

Sept. 1, 1932, selectmen, appropriation,	\$100.00
Sept. 28, 1932, selectmen, appropriation,	1,000.00
Oct. 31, 1932, selectmen, appropriation,	1,000.00
Nov. 30, 1932, selectmen, appropriation,	3,000.00
Dec. 23, 1932, selectmen, appropriation,	1,000.00
Jan. 31, 1933, selectmen, appropriation,	6,640.00
Apr. 26, 1933, refund on tuition, Concord Union School District,	28.82
Feb. 28, 1933, refund on tuition, Concord Union School District,	7.09
Balance June 30, 1932,	91.84

Total receipts during year,	\$12,867.75
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bow, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, and find them correct in all respects.

FRANK E. COLBY,
Auditor.

July 10, 1933.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1934-35.

EXPENDITURES.

Support of schools:

Teachers' salaries,	\$5,460.00
Textbooks,	150.00
Scholars' supplies,	150.00
Flags and appurtenances,	5.00
Expense of administration	45.00
Janitor service,	450.00
Fuel,	500.00
Light and janitor's supplies,	40.00
Minor repairs and expenses,	75.00
Transportation of pupils,	1,055.00
Medical inspection,	150.00

Other statutory requirements:

Salaries of district officers,	200.00
Truant officer and school census,	50.00
High school and academy tuition,	3,200.00
Superintendent's excess salary,	214.77
Per capita tax,	378.00

\$12,122.77

TEACHERS.

Marion E. Smith,	\$1,100.00
Maude I. Putney,	800.00
Mary E. Hird,	800.00
K. Louise Buereau,	720.00
Annie E. Stevens,	720.00
Jean C. Hendry,	720.00
Cora E. Woodbury,	600.00

\$5,460.00

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Board and Citizens:

I herewith submit my fourteenth annual report of the schools of Bow, for the year ending June 30, 1933.

There were maintained during the year, seven schools, for a school-year of 37 weeks, with no change in the teaching force.

The total school enrollment was 149, with a daily average attendance of 93.85 per cent.

The schools were in session on an average of 356.39 half-days.

Of the teachers employed, four are graduates of normal schools. All have state certificates.

Our teachers were faithful to their duty and diligent in their work; they were well trained professionally and competent in organization. They were mindful of the needs of the pupils while in the school rooms and on the school grounds and wisely cautioned them of the need of care while traveling on the public highway, and were also interested that all the children might have warm clothing and proper food.

These efforts of the teachers are worthy and should receive the commendation of all good citizens, yet more praiseworthy was the earnest desire of the teachers to give to each boy and girl higher ideals of life and the worthy ambition to become good and useful citizens.

It is commendable to be a leader in industry or finance. It is commendable to administer a system of schools or other social organizations. It is my belief that it is greater still to deal directly with children, inspiring them with ideals and putting into their lives the lofty desire to become honest and useful men and women.

One noted educator writes: "Next to that of creating a democracy is that of maintaining it, as teachers are doing in the schools at the present time. Teaching may not pay so well, but it is the highest type of service in the world."

The school nurse, Miss Adonia Douillette, has continued

her excellent work in our schools. Added to the regular school calls, she has made many home visits in the interest of the children's health and welfare. She has exercised every care that the children might have the proper food and comfortable clothing. She has been successful in soliciting aid from local organizations and charitable citizens, and has generously furnished free transportation to children at clinics and for other remedial work. Her report for the work follows.

The original purpose of the American school—to completely prepare the child for the life he is to live—remains unchanged, but the procedure and policies for securing this aim must of necessity be ever changing.

In the early history of our country, education, consisting mainly of the three R's, was fairly adequate for a sparsely settled country engaged mainly in agriculture and discovery. Machine production, increased wealth, congestion of life in the city, the multiplication of occupations for men, and new economic opportunities for women, have compelled a radical change from the original procedure of education. It has made necessary the introduction of the study of music, fine arts, science, domestic and industrial arts and also health education, including courses in hygiene, health examination, dental clinics, balanced diet and visits to homes by nurse and teachers for the well-being of the pupils and of the neighboring community.

Again, our educational policies have been greatly modified by the change in the number of children employed in the industries. From 1880 to 1910 large numbers of children were employed in factories. Since 1910, when 18.4 per cent of our children were employed, the trend of the employment of the children has been downward, for in 1930 only 4.7 per cent were employed. In 1930 the total enrollment in all our schools and colleges was about 29,500,000, and 1,000,000 teachers gave instruction in these institutions. This means that about one fourth of our population was directly engaged in educational activities.

The enlarged material equipment necessary for carrying

out the present-day school program; the construction of the modern school buildings containing laboratories, gymnasiums, swimming pools, auditoriums, cafeterias; their modern systems of heating, lighting and ventilation; the expansion of the school yard equipped with apparatus for play and physical exercise, has greatly increased the cost of education.

In 1900 the total national expenditures for public primary and secondary schools was \$214,965,000. In 1930 it was \$2,316,790,000. During this period the total value of all school property increased from \$550,069,000 to \$6,211,327,000.

The cost of maintaining the schools and the cost of maintaining the state and national governments has caused an excessive tax burden and has made it difficult to obtain sufficient funds to adequately finance the school system, especially in sparsely settled communities where the real estate valuation is low. Many of these localities have been obliged to seek financial assistance from either the county, state or federal governments.

To equalize educational opportunities in these districts and lower the cost of schools, two devices have been utilized. The first is that of enlarging school administration units by consolidating school districts. This resulted in the consolidation of 16,232 school districts by 1930.

The second device is that of using state funds to supplement local resources. Despite such efforts and the earnest endeavor of educators to secure equalization of educational opportunities, there still exist marked failures in some localities.

After being engaged in educational activities for more than fifty years and desiring more time for reading, travel and leisure, early in June I sent to the State Board of Education my resignation to take effect on August 31, 1933.

For the twenty years last past, I have enjoyed my work as superintendent of this union and have received the loyal support of the State Board of Education and of the School Board members, teachers, pupils and citizens. The cordial assistance given to me by all of the State Commissioners of Education has been encouraging and helpful.

I wish to thank all for the assistance given to me in making better schools.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY S. ROBERTS,
Superintendent.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Mills Primary.

ARLENE SARGENT BEVERLY QUIMBY

Mills Grammar.

JOHN BOWEN ROBERT BOWEN
BEVERLY HUTCHINS THELMA KENNEY
NORMA ORDWAY MARTIN QUIMBY
EDGAR TRACY

White.

CHARLES MURRAY CLARENCE MURRAY

Bog.

ALFRED DUFORD ARMON DUFORD FRANCIS SMITH

Center.

VIVIAN FARRELL FRED HAMMOND HAZEN SALTMARSH

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1934-1935.

	<i>Weeks.</i>
First term begins September 4 and ends December 21,	15
Thanksgiving recess begins November 24 and ends	
December 2,	1
Second terms begins January 7, 1935, and ends	
February 22,	7
Third term begins March 4 and ends April 19,	7
Fourth term begins April 29 and ends June 21,	8

NO-SCHOOL DAYS

Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Fast Day, Memorial Day, Institute Days.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE.

To Mr. Henry S. Roberts, Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my report as school nurse for the year ending June 30, 1933.

HEALTH INSPECTION.

Number of pupils examined,	138
Number of pupils underweight, 10 per cent,	23
Number of pupils with defective vision,	16
Number of pupils with defective hearing,	2
Number of pupils with defective teeth,	100
Number of tonsils and adenoids,	16
Total number of defects corrected,	34

CASES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Mumps,	1
Skin disease,	6
Number of pupils vaccinated,	137
Number of pupils unvaccinated,	1
Excused by the Board of Health,	1
Total number of school visits,	81
Total number of home visits,	40

I thank the School Board, the superintendent of schools, teachers, parents and all others who have helped to promote the health work in the schools.

ADONIA A. DOUILLETTE,
School Nurse.

VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN OF BOW: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed at the June session, 1877, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual reports," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOW FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Date of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Sex.	Living or stillborn.						
Feb. 20	Dorothy Marion	F.	L.	Antonio M. Jenovese	Ruth M. Saltmarsh	Bow	Laborer	Concord	Boston, Mass.
Mar. 2	Ruth Louise	F.	L.	Charles W. Ladd	Ellen C. Leighton	"	"	West Milan	Stark
" 7	Marion Ruth	F.	L.	Kenneth Hewey (unn.)	Eva M. Ordway	Bow and Hooksett	"	Nova Scotia	Bow
" 30	Edith Mary Doris	F.	L.	Armand Lefebvre	Roselda Homo	Bow	"	Canada	Canada
May 5	Abby	F.	L.	William Colby	Frances Gilman	"	Farmer	Bow	Center Sandwich
" 18		F.	L.	E. Earl Hemphill	Ella F. Duemling	"	Truckman	Hopkinton	Concord
June 17	Charles Frederick	M.	L.	Charles F. Martel	Irene E. Beck	"	Lincman	Vermont	Milton, Mass.
Oct. 10	Ethel Maude	F.	L.	George A. Drew	Ethel M. LaDuke	"	"	Concord	Eden, Vt.
Nov. 23	Robert Edward	M.	L.	Maxwell E. Coulter	Frances E. Buck	"	Laborer	"	Scotland, Vt.
" 25	Gladys Louise	F.	L.	William H. Abbott	Sarah E. Smith	"	"	"	Hartford, Conn.
Dec. 1	Gerald Everett	M.	L.	Julius E. Avery	Edith McDonald	"	Blacksmith	Connecticut	New Jersey

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ANNIE C. FOOTE,
Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOW FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Mar-riage of persons by whom married.	Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married.
Mar. 23	Concord	Albert L. Drew	Bow	21	Chauffeur	Bow	George A. Drew Flora E. Lord	Concord Vermont	Laborer Deceased	1	Rev. Burton G. Robbins, Concord.
		Ruby Ione Johnson	Concord	18	At home	Stockbridge, Vt.	Nelson J. Johnson Flora B. Calkins	Plymouth, Vt. Chittenden, Vt.	Housewife	1	
Apr. 17	"	Arthur J. Bourbeau	Bow	26	Laborer	Hooksett	Charles Bourbeau Alice La May	Canada "	Deceased Brick maker	1	Rev. L. Rodolphe Drapeau, Concord.
" 23	Manchester	Irene L. Labrie	"	22	Laundry worker	Suncook	William Labrie Angelina Guinard	" New Boston	Housewife Laborer	1	Rev. W. D. Armitage, Manchester.
		Joseph C. Geddings	"	24	Laborer	No. Weare	John Geddings Ethel Sawyer	Warner Concord	Deceased Trucking	1	
		Dorothy F. Densmore	Dunbarton	19	Housemaid	Elkins	Harley Densmore Clara Finard	Concord Salem, Mass.	Deceased	2	Rev. John C. Hawkins, East Machias, Me.
June 2	Machiasport, Me.	Frederick H. Wilson	Bow	37	Machinist helper	Concord	Fred Wilson Flora Hayes	Concord Machiasport, Me.	" Carpenter	1	
		Claribel Woods	Sarrabee, Me.	29	Housework	Machiasport, Me.	Martha E. Kinghoun James Nottidge	Machiasport, Me. Orange, Mass.	Housewife Farmer	3	Rev. E. S. Tasker, Pumbroke.
Aug. 23	Pembroke	Clyde H. Nottidge	Bow	61	Mechanic	Stark, Me.	Minnie V. Williamson Joseph C. Humphrey	New Sharon, Me. New Hampshire	Deceased Laborer	2	
		Florence J. Howard	"	45	Housekeeper	Fitzwilliam	William Humphrey William Clarke	Canada Concord	Deceased Carpenter	1	Rev. Andrew V. MacCracken, Concord.
Sept. 16	Concord	Ronald C. Clark	"	30	Carpenter	Bow	Grace M. Follett William E. Gordon	Providence, R. I. Canada	Housework Farmer	2	
		Marjorie MacKenzie	Concord	23	Housework	Worcester	Lillian McFee Daniel K. Abbott	" Concord	Housework Deceased	(Div.)	Rev. Daniel S. Jenks, Bow.
Oct. 15	Bow	George H. Abbott	"	53	Shipping clerk	Concord	Clara Knowlton Sam Sargent	" Bow	Housewife (retired) R. R. employee	2	
		Florence M. Sargent	Bow	37	Housework	Bow	Florence Wheeler Charles L. Beck	Concord Billerica, Mass.	Housewife Printer	1	Rev. Edwin T. Cooke, D.D., Manchester.
Nov. 9	Manchester	Charles L. Beck	"	25	Printer	Mattapan, Mass.	Lydvia E. Eldridge Avel Olson	Mattapan, Mass. Sweden	Homemaker Stonecutter	1	
		Ellen D. Olson	Concord	20	Stenographer	Concord	Elizabeth Hearson J. C. Edw. Drescher	Concord Germany	Homemaker Boiler maker	1	Rev. Bernard N. Lovgren, Concord.
" 29	Concord	Albert Otto Drescher	Bow	23	Machinist helper	Manchester	Bridget Leonard John Copson	Ireland Canada	Housewife R. R. brakeman	1	
		Ruth Elizabeth Copson	Concord	19	Clerk	Concord	Bernice Penton	Canada Tilton	Housewife	1	

MARRIAGES OF BOW RESIDENTS OBTAINING LICENSES OUT OF TOWN.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Mar-riage.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
May 29	Bow	Vincent D. Heath	Bow	24	Laborer	Enfield	Charles W. Heath Gertrude Dean	Enfield	Farmer	1	Rev. John B. Wilson,
		Dorothy M. Galligan	Concord	20	Maid	Derry	Robert Galligan Elizabeth Robichaud	Grafton Canada	Housewife Painter	1	Bow.
Sept. 30	Concord	John Richard Bresaw	Bow	18	Farm helper	Barre, Vt.	John A. Bresaw	Minnesota	Housewife Stationary engineer	1	Rev. George H. Reed, D.D.,
		Dora Roberta Provencal	Concord	18	At home	Concord	Emily Newell Joseph G. Provencal Roberta Woodward	St. Johns, N. F. Canada Franklin	Housework Painter Housework	1	Concord.

* By special permission of Court.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ANNIE C. FOOTE,
Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOW FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Date of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Yrs.	Age. Mos.	Dys.	Place of birth.	Sex.	Condition Sing., mar. or widow.	Occupation.	Father.	Mother.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
Jan. 30	Ben A. Foote	73	1	1	Bow, N. H.	M.	M.	Farmer	Bow	Bow	Thomas Foote	Sally Green
Mar. 22	Warren P. Dow	72	11	28	Canterbury	M.	W.	Retired	London	Canterbury	Joseph Dow	Anne Glines
May 17	John P. Elliott	80	9	23	Bow	M.	W.	Farmer	—	—	—	—
July 31	Luther W. Cheney	76	7	10	Penacook, N. H.	M.	W.	Retired	—	—	—	—
July 1	Jennie S. Russell	84	7	16	Bennington, N. H.	F.	W.	At home	—	—	Joseph C. Patch	Maria Cross
May 22	Willard Conway Ash	30	4	6	Concord	M.	M.	Laborer	Concord	Concord	William H. Ash	Mary E. Foote
Nov. 19	Ethel Louise Hesseliden	53	6	20	Bow	F.		Housewife	Bow	Bow	Asa Morgan	Martha Elliott

BODIES BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL.

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ANNIE C. FOOTE,
Town Clerk.

